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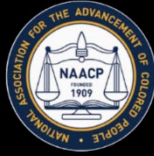
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Wednesday, June 28th at 7:00pm
Cascades Library, Meeting Room A (21030 Whitfield Place)



NAACP Loudoun
Branch



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Anti-Defamation
League - Washington,
DC Region

Please join me on Wednesday, June 28th at 7pm in Meeting Room A of the Cascades Library for a Community Dialogue to Counter Hate. This event will bring together representatives of the NAACP Loudoun Branch and the Anti-Defamation League (ADL) Washington, DC region for an informative discussion about the troubling rise in hate crime incidents and what our community can do to fight back against hate. We encourage all community members to join us for this conversation!

Time will be allotted during the event for questions and input from the community. If you would like to submit questions in advance, please email Acting Chief of Staff, Ethan Gardner, at ethan.gardner@loudoun.gov.

Please visit the [event page on Facebook](#) for more information and updates. My office will send reminders and more information as we get closer to the event.

Virginia's Primary Election Day is Next Week!



Virginia's primary elections are coming up this Tuesday, June 20th! If you vote in Loudoun County, there are several Democratic Primaries for state and local offices underway, based on where you live. The local Republican Party canceled its nominating convention this year since only one GOP candidate filed in each race. To see what is on your ballot, visit [here](#) and click on the link associated with your precinct.



Early voting is currently underway and will be open until Saturday, June 17th. Visit loudoun.gov/voteearly to find locations and hours for early voting!

If you are planning to vote on Election Day, remember that polls will be open from 6am to 7pm. Make sure you know where to vote. Because of redistricting, the boundaries for the Board of Supervisors, School Board, and state legislative districts have changed.

The Algonkian District has two temporary locations for the June primary, because of school construction impacts. These are:

- Precinct 208 – Algonkian will vote at River Bend Middle School, 46240 Algonkian Parkway, Sterling
- Precinct 209 – Potomac Falls will vote at River Bend Middle School, 46240 Algonkian Parkway, Sterling

More information about voting in Loudoun County is online at loudoun.gov/vote.

Road Renaming Initiative Update

A graphic with a dark teal background. At the top left is the Loudoun County Virginia logo. To the right is a photo of a street with buildings. The text "STREET NAME CHANGE" is in white. Below that, in a dark teal box, is the text "The renaming of several streets & roads in Loudoun has been completed or is nearly complete." At the bottom, in a lighter teal box, is the text "Details: loudoun.gov/RoadRenaming".

Loudoun County
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STREET NAME CHANGE

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In 2020, I worked with Supervisor Saines to initiate action to review roads and streets countywide to identify those named after Confederate and segregationist symbols. This initiative is currently underway and recently reached new milestones.



The effective date for new names for Route 7 and Route 50 in Loudoun County is planned for late September 2023. Harry Byrd Highway (Route 7) will be renamed to Leesburg Pike and John Mosby Highway (Route 50) will be renamed Little River Turnpike. Both of these names honor the traditional names of these historic regional thoroughfares that developed in the early 1800's, before the racist Lost Cause movement took hold in our communities.

Effective August 3, new road names in Round Hill will be completed. Mail notification of the road name change to affected property owners has been completed by the county. These roads are:

- The new name of Early Avenue will be Earlybird Avenue.
- The name of Hampton Road will be Cinnamon Fern Road.
- The new name of Jackson Avenue will be Honeybee Avenue.
- The new name of Lee Drive will be Turtle Hill Drive.
- The new name of Longstreet Avenue will be Piper Run Avenue.
- The new name of Pickett Road will be Broken Arrow Road.

Jeb Stuart Road has been officially renamed to Philomont Road and all new street signs are in place.

This marks an important milestone for Loudoun County to ensure that no one will be forced to travel, live, work, or play on roads named after abhorrent figures that fought for the preservation of slavery and segregation. I will continue fighting for a county that reflects our present diversity and ensure that public recognition in the form of names for roads, buildings, and civic institutions are held by those that represent values of justice and equality, not injustice and hate.

To assist property owners during this transition, the county has prepared a helpful Street Name Change Checklist PDF, which is available at loudoun.gov/roadrenaming. In July, the county will launch a program to assist businesses impacted by the renaming.

June BOS Meeting Schedule Changes



Two Committee meetings that I sit on have been changed due to scheduling issues: **The Joint Board of Supervisors/School Board Committee and the Finance/Government Operations & Economic Development Committee.**

Joint Board of Supervisors/School Board Committee: The meeting of the Joint Board of Supervisors/School Board Committee scheduled for Monday, June 12, 2023, at 4:00 p.m. has been canceled. The committee's next meeting is scheduled for Monday, September 18, 2023, at 4:00 p.m. in the Board Room on the first floor of the Government Center, 1 Harrison St. SE in Leesburg.

Finance/Government Operations & Economic Development Committee: The Board of Supervisors' Finance/Government Operations & Economic Development Committee meeting originally scheduled for Tuesday, June 13, 2023, at 6:00 p.m. has been rescheduled to Tuesday, June 27, at 6:00 p.m. The meeting will be held in the Dulles Room on the first floor of the Government Center, 1 Harrison St. SE in Leesburg.

Board of Supervisors Meetings Next Week

Tuesday, June 20th at 4pm:
Business Meeting

Wednesday, June 21st at 5pm:
Transportation and Land Use Committee

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We want to hear from you! Share your concerns, questions, or events that you would like to see featured in upcoming newsletters.

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